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| In re: | Patent Application of Hugh S. Munro <i>et al.</i> | : Attorney Docket No.: : 101713-5026 : |
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STATUS INQUIRY

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Dear Madam:

We have recently taken over responsibility of the above-referenced patent application, by way of Power of Attorney, which was filed on March 13, 2009. Kindly advise us as to when the Power of Attorney will be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

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